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In accordance with Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (1 page) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application.

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Applicants further note that documents A02 to A04, A08, A17, and A18 were cited in the Summons to attend oral proceedings issued on October 16, 2009, in connection with corresponding European Patent Application No. 03 751 860.2. A copy of the Summons to attend

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